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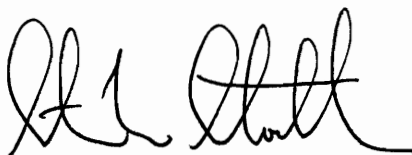
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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDERS, MAJOR SUBORDINATE COMMANDS AND
DISTRICT COMMANDS; CHIEFS, CONSTRUCTIONS-OPERATIONS DIVISIONS

SUBJECT: Excellence in Interpretive Partnership Award Selection

1. Reference Memorandum, CECW-CO, 29 October 2007, subject: Excellence in Interpretive Partnership Award.
2. This is to announce that the Friends of Lake Sonoma Cooperative Association at the Warm Springs/Lake Sonoma Project in the San Francisco District has been selected as the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers recipient of the 2008 Excellence in Interpretive Partnership Award. This award was created to recognize outstanding contributions to interpretative and/or environmental education efforts of the Corps by a cooperating association. It will be presented at the annual Association of Partners for Public Lands Conference, Monday, 25 February 2008, at the Adam's Mark Hotel, in Denver, Colorado.
3. Ms. Kathy Perales, acting Senior Policy Advisor for Partnerships in the Natural Resources Management Community of Practice is my point of contact on this issue. She may be reached at (202) 761-1736 if you have any questions.
4. I sincerely appreciate the nominations provided by the MSCs and others for this significant award. Please pass along my appreciation to all the nominees for their achievements and my thanks to those who nominated them.

FOR THE COMMANDER:


for DON T. RILEY
Major General, USA
Director of Civil Works